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August 27, 2001

Letter No. 3285

Mr. Steve Beachy, Director
City of College Station
Parks and Recreation Department
2613 Texas Avenue South
College Station, Texas 77840

Subject:

Interlocal Agreement Contract No. 01-044

Additional Lighting for A&M Consolidated High School Tennis Courts

Dear Mr. Beachy:

In accordance with paragraph 10 of our Interlocal Contract Agreement No. 01-044 for the installation of lighting for the six unlighted tennis courts at A&M Consolidated High School Tennis Courts please accept this letter as our notice to you that the Term of Work specified in paragraph 4 must be extended to April 1, 2002. Your written concurrence with this extension is requested.

As you are aware the subject tennis courts were in litigation with the constructing contractors, architects, engineers and consultants. Our legal council instructed us to not commence with any alterations or improvements to these tennis courts until this litigation was settled. In June 2001 we reached agreement thru mediation with all parties involved in this litigation.

Since June 2001, with the assistance of your staff we have evaluated the lighting alternatives available. In August 2001 we selected Swobota Engineering as the Engineer to design the lighting additions. The Swoboda Engineering schedule indicates that this contract will be issued for sealed priced proposal bidding in September 2001. The recommended proposal is scheduled to be presented to our Board of Trustees for their consideration at the regular meeting on October 15, 2001. The contract could then be awarded for a November 1, 2001 mobilization. Mr. Swoboda advises that we can expect a sixty day delivery of poles and fixtures, an additional thirty days to install poles, fixtures and wiring. Allowing for a thirty day burn in period for final testing we forecast that this contract will complete on or about the end of February 2002. We recommend that an additional month be allowed for contingency such as delay in bidding, approval or material delivery.

If you have any questions regarding this notice please contact Mr. Savage of our Construction Services Department or me.

Michael Ball

Yours, truly

Deputy Superintendent for Business and Operations

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W. J. Savage